









Series 0501 Financial Administration & Program -- Career Roadmap

		CWDA Skill Level 1: GS 5-8	CWDA Skill Level 2: GS 9-13	CWDA Skill Level 3: GS 14-15
	Academic Credential Requirement:	Degree and/or a combination of education and work experience needed to qualify. Details at: opm.gov/qualifications/standards/group-stds/gs-admin.asp	Degree and/or a combination of education and work experience needed to qualify. Details at: opm.gov/qualifications/standards/group-stds/gs-admin.asp	Degree and/or a combination of education and work experience needed to qualify. Details at: opm.gov/qualifications/standards/group-stds/gs-admin.asp
	Desired Certifications:		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CDFM, CGFM • Acquisition billets – DAWIA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CDFM, CGFM • Acquisition billets - DAWIA
	Desired Academic Coursework:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 Hour Financial Management 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FM-related graduate education • 24 Hour Financial Management 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FM-related graduate education • 24 Hour Financial Management
	Competency Requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accounting Concepts: Processes & Procedures • Attention to Detail • Audit • Budget Execution • Budget Formulation • Communication • Conflict Management • Continuing Process Improvement • Critical Thinking • Decision Making • Financial Analysis Modeling • Financial Analysis: Risk Assessment • Financial Rules & Regulations : Federal Laws • Financial Rules & Regulations : Financial Policies • Financial Systems and Reporting • Leadership • Mission Focus • Performance Improvement • Problem Solving • Programming • Project Management • Research and Data Collection • Strategy Development 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accounting Concepts: Processes & Procedures • Attention to Detail • Audit • Budget Execution • Budget Formulation • Communication • Conflict Management • Continuing Process Improvement • Critical Thinking • Decision Making • Financial Analysis Modeling • Financial Analysis: Risk Assessment • Financial Rules & Regulations : Federal Laws • Financial Rules & Regulations : Financial Policies • Financial Systems and Reporting • Leadership • Mission Focus • Performance Improvement • Problem Solving • Programming • Project Management • Research and Data Collection • Strategy Development 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Accounting Concepts: Processes & Procedures • Attention to Detail • Audit • Budget Execution • Budget Formulation • Communication • Conflict Management • Continuing Process Improvement • Critical Thinking • Decision Making • Financial Analysis Modeling • Financial Analysis: Risk Assessment • Financial Rules & Regulations : Federal Laws • Financial Rules & Regulations : Financial Policies • Financial Systems and Reporting • Leadership • Mission Focus • Performance Improvement • Problem Solving • Programming • Project Management • Research and Data Collection • Strategy Development

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	Education & Training Requirement:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FM101 • Principles of DoN Budgeting • NCWF 101 • Budget Execution • Fiscal Law • PPBES Course 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FM101 • Principles of DoN Budgeting • NCWF 101 • Budget Execution • Fiscal Law 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FM101 • ADA Investigator's Training • Managers Internal Control – MIC Program
	Experience Requirement:	For GS: GS5: 3yrs general experience. GS7/above: 1yr specialized experience at next lower grade. See: opm.gov/qualifications/standards/group-stds/gs-admin.asp	For GS: Normally, 1 yr specialized experience at next lower grade required. For details: opm.gov/qualifications/standards/group-stds/gs-admin.asp	For GS: Normally, 1 yr specialized experience at next lower grade required. For details: opm.gov/qualifications/standards/group-stds/gs-admin.asp
	Desired Leadership Competency Level (CLD) :	Foundation	Foundation, Supervisory	Foundation, Supervisory, Management, Executive

Career Opportunities

Related Job Series: The chart below identifies Job Series within the occupational group with the greatest similarity in scope of work and competencies. Click on an icon to see the Career Roadmap for the Job Series.



Competencies: You may determine how closely your competencies match the related Job Series by conducting a Self- Assessment within **CWDA**.

Additional Opportunities: You may conduct a Self-Assessment within CWDA for any Job Series represented within the Marine Corps to determine how closely your qualifications and competencies match other opportunities. For a comprehensive list of Job Series, [click here](#).